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SUBJ: 32ND UNGA: INSCRIPTION OF ITEM REGARDING ISRAELI
MEASURES IN OCCUPIED TERRITORIES

1. UN SECRETARIAT HAS CIRCULATED IN DOCUMENT A/32/241,
25 AUGUST 1977, EGYPT'S REQUEST FOR INCLUSION IN AGENDA
OF 32ND UNGA OF AN ADDITIONAL ITEM REGARDING ISRAELI
MEASURES IN OCCUPIED TERRITORIES. TEXT OF A/32/241
FOLLOWS:

QUOTE: BEGIN TEXT.

REQUEST FOR THE INCLUSION OF AN ADDITIONAL ITEM IN THE
AGENDA OF THE THIRTY-SECOND SESSION

RECENT ILLEGAL ISRAELI MEASURES IN THE OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORIES
DESIGNED TO CHANGE THE LEGAL STATUS, GEOGRAPHICAL NATURE AND
DEMOGRAPHIC COMPOSITION OF THOSE TERRITORIES IN CONTRAVENTION OF
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THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS, OF ISRAEL'S
INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE FOURTH GENEVA CONVENTION
OF 1949 AND OF UNITED NATIONS RESOLUTIONS, AND OBSTRUCTION
OF EFFORTS AIMED AT ACHIEVING A JUST AND LASTING PEACE IN
THE MIDDLE EAST

LETTER DATED 25 AUGUST 1977 FROM THE DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER

AND MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF EGYPT TO THE SECRETARY-
GENERAL

I HAVE THE HONOUR TO REQUEST, IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 15 OF
THE RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, THE
INCLUSION IN THE AGENDA OF THE THIRTY-SECOND SESSION OF
THE ASSEMBLY OF AN ADDITIONAL ITEM ENTITLED "RECENT ILLEGAL
ISRAELI MEASURES IN THE OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORIES DESIGNED
TO CHANGE THE LEGAL STATUS, GEOGRAPHICAL NATURE AND DEMO-
GRAPHIC COMPOSITION OF THOSE TERRITORIES IN CONTRAVENTION
OF THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS,
OF ISRAEL'S INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE FOURTH
GENEVA CONVENTION OF 1949 AND OF UNITED NATIONS RESOLUTIONS,
AND OBSTRUCTION OF EFFORTS AIMED AT ACHIEVING A JUST
AND LASTING PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST".

THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT, IN ASKING TO INSCRIBE THIS ADDITIONAL
ITEM ON ACCOUNT OF ITS IMPORTANT AND URGENT NATURE,
REQUESTS THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY CONSIDER IT AS AN
IMPORTANT AND URGENT MATTER IN PLENARY MEETINGS.

UNDOUBTEDLY, THE MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY RECOGNIZE
THAT THESE ISRAELI MEASURES, PARTICULARLY AT THIS DELICATE
STAGE IN THE PEACE EFFORTS, ARE A SERIOUS DEVELOPMENT
REVEALING ISRAELI INTENTIONS TO OBSTRUCT AND REJECT PEACE.

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SINCE THESE MEASURES ARE IN FLAGRANT DEFIANCE OF THE WILL
OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY AND UNQUESTIONABLY OBSTRUCT
THE STEPS IT HAS TAKEN TO ACHIEVE A JUST AND PERMANENT
PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST, THE GOVERNMENT OF THE ARAB REPUBLIC
OF EGYPT REQUESTS THAT THIS QUESTION BE DISCUSSED AS AN
URGENT ADDITIONAL ITEM BECAUSE OF THE DANGEROUS
SITUATION THREATENING PEACE IN THE REGION AND THAT THE
REQUIRED ACTION BE TAKEN TO PRESERVE INTERNATIONAL LEGALITY
AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR ESTABLISHING A JUST AND LASTING
PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

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